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## NOTICE OF ELECTION

## Jown of St. Elmo

Notice is hereby given that an election by the qualified voters of the Town of St. Elmo, for the purpose of electing five Commissioners of said town, will be held at the regular voting places in said town

> Tuesday, April 2, 1918 From' 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The officers appointed to hold said election in the First Precinct are as follows:

Officer-W. L. Nixon. Judges-D. N. Guthrie, J. F. Atchley. Clerks-F. B. Englehardt, W. M. Rowland. Registrars-W. J. Bradford, E. B. Osborne.

The officers appointed to hold said election in the Second Precinct are as follows:

Officer-L. W. Bates. Judges-Jessie Hughes, R. F. Caloway, W. E.

Registrars-J. B. McAllister, John Hester.

This March 22, 1918.

Theo. F. King. J. B. F. Lowry, McKinley Hays,

Commissioners of Election.



## TAKING PROOF IN

Commissioner Supreme Court day Hears Witnesses in Big Railroad Case.

mportance, under the style of The State of Georgia vs. The Trustees of the Cin-cinnati Southern. C., N. O. & T. P. Railroads, was heard in part in the county judge's office Friday before Edward L. Gilmore, special commissioner. This case is what might be called an ouster proceeding, as it involves the right of the railroad companies to oc-

Mantie road from Boyce to Chattaneoga. Years ago the state of Georgia, which owns the Western & Atlantic road, entered into a contract with the Cincinnati Southern by which the latter was given the right to build its tracks into Chattanooga from Boyce over the Western & Atlantic right-of-way.

The last legislature of Georgia passed law seeking to cancel the contract and proceedings were instituted in the United States supreme court, which has original jurisdiction, to eject the railroads. Edward L. Gilmore, of Atlanta, was appointed by the court as commissioner to take proof in the case, and he is sitting in Chattanooga Thursday taking deposi-tions of employes of the roads and other

The state of Georgia is represented by W. A. Wimbish and the railroads by Edward Colston, general counsel of the Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific; W. L. Porter, of Cincinnati, and M. M. on, of Chattanooga.

#### RECOVERED JUDGMENT AGAINST CAR COMPANY

Blucher Blevins was given a judg-ment for \$40 and D. J. Jones a judg-ment of \$10 in the criminal court Fri-day morning against the Chattanooga Railway and Light company. The railway company was represented by Joe Brown, M. J. Horan and A. D. Johnson. The defendants were represented by W. J. Counts. The transaction in connection with the suit was recently aired out before Squire H. B. Caulkins. It was charged by the plaintiffs that they were laborers on a rock quarry some distance from the Chickamauga car line and that one cold night they went to the nearby car station and waited for a car. When them it was too crowded and they said them it was too crowded and they said they sat down on a rock to wait and, as the result, both contracted severe colds. They entered suit in justice court and the railway company ap-pealed with the above result.

#### TRANSFER OF SIX LOTS IN RIDGEDALE

A transfer involving property to the amount of \$12,500 was recorded in the county court clerk's office Friday morning. The style of the transfer is the Bank of Commerce to D. J. Miller et al. and involves lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 of the Anderson and Eckfords addition, in Ridgedale.

Paulist Choristers, of Chicago, render "A Legend" and "Sing Ye to the Lord." Columbia record No. A2467. Templeman's, 723 Market St.

### OBITUARY

## FORMER MANAGER OF STREET

RAILWAY COMPANY DIES News has been received here of the

News has been received here of the death of D. J. Duncan, former general manager of the Chattanooga Street Railway company. Mr. Duncan died in Pittsburg, Pa., on Tuesday.

When the Rapid Transit and Chattanooga Electric companies were consolidated in 1906. Mr. Duncan came here to assume the general managership of the new company. In fact, he helped to close the deal.

Prior to his connection with the local street railway, he was with street

cal street railway, he was with street railway companies at Scranton and Pottsville, Pa. He served as general manager here about two and a half years, and after resigning his position he became interested in the project of a trackless trolley up Signal mountain. This enterprise was not carried out.

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During his residence in Chattanooga

During his residence in Chattanooga Mr. Duncan was stricken with paraly-sis, and it is understood that he was not able to engage in active business after that time. He removed from Chattanooga to Pennsylvania.

### Lawrence O. Longley.

Mrs. Mary Jane Ensley, of Apison, received a message on Thursday an-nouncing the death of her son, Law-rence Oral Longley, which occurred yesterday at a naval hospital. Gas poisoning was attributed as the cause

of the young man's demise, Mrs. Ensley was instructed to telegraph the surgeon-general of the navy department at Washington about disposition of the body, and within a few hours after her wire had been sent. Surgeon-General Braisted informed her in a telegram that the commanding of-ficer of the U. S. S. South Dakota had been directed to forward the remains of her son, as requested, and would telegraph her the date and route by which the body would be sent.

Lawrence Oral Longley, at the time of his enlistment in the navy last spring as a volunteer, was 21 years old. He went through a course of traininand several trips were made by him across the Atlantic. When last heard from, he appeared to be in good health and spirits and his death came without warning to his mother. The young man was the first red star on James county's service flag.

Howard Marcellus Springer. Howard Marcellus Springer, 2-yearold son of Mrs. G. C. Springer, died at his home, 1114 Kirby avenue, Fri-day morning at 4:30 o'clock. The fuson of Mrs. G. neral will be held from the residence Friday afternoon at 2:39, with Rev. Bales officiating. Forest Hills cometery will be the place of interment.

Mrs. F. R. Allison. News of the death of Mrs. F. R. Allison, of Houston, Tex., has been re-Allison, of Houston, Tex., has been received here. She formerly resided in this city, and was a cousin of Mrs. Syd Bobinson, of Chattanooga. She is survived by three children, Mrs. Uburles Fatten, Mrs. Will Yerkes and F. L. Allison, all of Houston.

GREENWOOD CEMETERY

#### LAWYER RECEIVES WIRE OF HIS FATHER'S ILLNESS

Attorney O. W. Reeves has been ummoned to the bedside of his father, summoned to the begside of his father, Stephen B. Reeves, at Battle Creek, Mich. Mr. Reeves received a telegram Friday saying that his father was in a dying condition. Mr. Reeves left Friday morning at 10:45. The elder Reeves is superintendent of the American Steam Pump company, of Battle Creek, baying here connected with the Creek, having been connected with the plant for a number of years,

#### DANIEL WEBSTER SUES FOR PERSONAL INJURIES

Fell From a Scaffold While Working for the McIsaac-Gentry Company.

Daniel Webster entered suit against the McIseacs-Gentry company Friday morning in the circuit court for \$2,500 for personal injuries. The suit is the result of injuries plaintiff claims he received at Jonah's Bluff, near Wauhatchie. Plaintiff claims that he was head powder man at the camp of defendant and that one day while he was at work he was ordered to go to Jo-nah's Bluff nearby and fill some holes which had been drilled several months before. While he was on a scaffold before. While he was on a scaffold twelve or fifteen feet above the ground, one of the proprietors came along and called to him and he turned, not know-ing the scaffold behind him had been moved, and as the result fell fifteen feet to the ground, breaking his arm and injuring himself internally.

#### AMES HITTE "HELD FOR GOVERNMENT

James Andrew Hitte, alias J. A. Wilson, has been registered at police head-quarters by an officer of the depart-ment of justice. No charge was specified, but opposite Hitte's name was written "hold for government." The officer gave no intimation of why officer gave no intimation of why Hitte was being detained. The prisoner gave his occupation as a machin

SAM STALLION SERIOUSLY INJURED BY AUTOMOBILE

Sam Stallion, a colored lad, is at

Walden hospital, on East Eighth street, as the result of injuries received Thurs-day night about 8 o'clock, when he was struck by an automobile at Market square and A street. In connection with the accident, H. C. Martin, of headquarters of the 117th infantry at Greenville, S.: C., was registered at police headquarters on a charge of felonious asault. The boy was uncon-scious for some time and was semiconscious when the hospital was called Friday afternoon.

#### LITTLE BABY FALLS INTO CISTERN AND DROWNS

(Special to The News.)
Athens, March 22.—A sad accident occurred in the Good Springs community, near Etowah, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Harris, when Mr. and Mrs. George Harris, when their 2-year-old baby fell into the cistern and was drowned. The little one was rescued in about thirty minutes after it had fallen in, but life was ex-tinct.

## **Any Sickness Leaves Weakness**

Even a simple cold strips and reduces your resistive powers to allow other sickness. Only food-not alcohol or drugs \_\_creates the rich blood which distributes strength to the body, and the concentrated medicinal food in

tonic virtue enlivens the appetite and aids nutrition to reestablish your strength quickly and permanently. If you are rundown, anemic or nervous, by all means get Soutt's Emulsion. It builds because it is a food-not a stimulant. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, W. J.



# Easter Wear for Men and Women

Our buyer, Mr. Abe Shoenig, has just returned from a highly successful buying trip to Eastern markets.

The new goods which have been arriving daily now give us one of the handsomest stocks in the city of:

## Women's Suits

Worth every cent of \$15.00 to \$35.00, at.... \$10 to \$25

## Women's Spring Coats

Worth fully \$17.50 to \$13.50 to \$25

## Beautiful Silk Dresses

In fancy Silks, Georgettes and Foulards; all extraordinary values, worth up to \$25.00. A complete line of sizes \$9.98 in all the new models, at......

## Millinery

Our Millinery Department is showing a most gorgeous assortment of Hats in the latest creations from America's foremost milliners.

## Waists

We pride ourselves on the handsome line of Waists we are selling. All the new models and fabrics and colors at remarkably low prices.

# Men and Boys

Our Department for Men and Boys embraces everything they wear. We can outfit them from from head to foot at a great saving from what you would have to pay elsewhere.

# Abe Shoenig & Co.

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